

South Florida Water Management District
EVERGLADES CONSTRUCTION PROJECT

BI-WEEKLY PROGRESS REPORT

Note: this report is prepared for progress monitoring purposes only; for additional information contact: Raul Pellegrino at 791-4190 -4426

Report Date: 12/18/01	Reporting Period: 12/01/01 – 12/15/01
Project:	
298 District Stormwater Diversion Projects	
Contractor: This work is funded by SFWMD, but being accomplished by the 298 Districts.	
Description:	SFWMD is funding the design, permitting and construction of works that will divert stormwater away from Lake Okeechobee, and toward the STAs. Four 298 Districts are involved: East Shore Water Control District (ESWCD), East Beach Water Control District (EBWCD), South Shore Drainage District (SSDD) and the South Florida Conservancy District (SFCD). The 298 Districts are responsible for prosecution of the projects, to the extent that funds are available; the District's role is review and funding.
Work Performed this Period: Construction is proceeding on all required ESWCD and EBWCD components.	
ES WCD: New Pump station #2, (439 cfs, located on the Hillsboro Canal), ~ 6miles of new canal and canal enlargement, farm road crossings, water control structures, and culvert placement under SR 80. Pump station: (Murphy Constr.: Completed Earthworks: Completed (Ridgill Constr.). Crossings: (Ridgill Constr.) Completed. EB WCD: New Pump Station #3 (338 cfs, located on the W. Palm Beach Canal), ~ 5 miles of canal enlargement, minor crossings and structures. Pump Station: (Edens Constr.) Completed. Earthworks: Substantial completion walk through done on 9/28/01. Developing punchlist (Team Land, Inc.) RR Crossing: Completed.	
Outstanding Issues Which Impact the Project:	
SSDD and SFCD are on HOLD at approximately the 30% design stage due to lack of funding. These projects are prioritized lower than STA 3 / 4, which should be under construction next year.	
Actions Taken:	
None. Funding to be reconsidered when STA 3 / 4 costs are available.	
New Issues Which Impact the Project: 1. Contractor will exceed contract time prior to completing the project	
Actions Taken: 1. 298 District engineer considering application of liquidated damages.	
Controlling Items of Work for the Period:	
Milestone/Activity Description	Location/Estimated Completion Date
Complete diversion works for EBWCD to STA 1W	1/16/01 (or 60 days after PS G-310 is complete)
Complete diversion works for ESWCD to STA 2	1/16/01 (or 60 days after PS G-335 is complete)
Complete diversion works for SFCD to STA 3 / 4	12/1/03 (or 60 days after STA 3 / 4 completion)
Complete diversion works for SSDD to STA 3 / 4	12/1/03 (or 60 days after STA 3 / 4 completion)
EBWCD RR crossing and segments I-P of canal	04/15/01 (per approved change order No. 1)
Project Managers/Engineers Comments:	
Contract with contractor terminated. Bonding company addressing puchlist items.	
(s) Raul Pellegrino, P.E.	12/18/01
Signature:	Date:

